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SUBJECT: 9TH UJNR CONFERENCE, OCTOBER 25-26, 1978

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- 1. EMBASSY IS VERY MUCH IMPRESSED BY COMPREHENSIVE AND WELL-WRITTEN STATEMENT TO BE DELIVERED BY UJNR DELEGATION HEAD AT FORTHCOMING CONFERENCE AND BELIEVES THAT USEFUL PURPOSE WILL BE SERVED IN PASSING IT IN ADVANCE TO GOJ SIDE.
- 2. TEXT IS BEING TYPED AND FOLLOWING MINOR EDITORIAL CHANGES HAVE BEEN MADE. FOR CONVENIENCE, WE ARE USING PARAGRAPH NUMBERS ASSIGNED TO EACH PARAGRAPH IN THE ORDER THAT TEXT WAS TRANSMITTED BY CABLE.
- 3. (A) PARA 2, LINE 9. DELETE "BOTH."
- (B) PARA 9, LINE 5. CHANGE COMMA AFTER "30" TO DASH.
- (C) PARA 9, LINE 9. CHANGE NAME OF SHIP TO
- "HAKUREI-MARU."

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- (D) PARA 10, LINE 2. CHANGE "AN" TO "A."
- (E) PARA 10, LINE 9. INSERT "A" BETWEEN "AT" AND
- "HIGH."
- (F) PARA 13, LINE 10. CHANGE "CHAIRMAN" TO "CHAIRMEN."

4. CONCERNING SUBSTANCE, WE BELIEVE THAT MORE EMPHASIS SHOULD BE PLACED ON FACT THAT WIND AND SEISMIC EFFECTS PANEL IS COORDINATING ITS WORK ON EARTHQUAKE RESEARCH WITH OTHER BILATERAL EFFORTS IN THIS FIELD, INCLUDING EARTHQUAKE PREDICTION COOPERATION UNDER NSF/JSPS COOPERATIVE SCIENCES

PROGRAM, SEISMOGRAPHIC AND SEISMOLOGY WORK OF USGS AND JMA. AND SAFETY DESIGN OF NUCLEAR POWER PLANTS. CONSEQUENTLY, WE PROPOSE ADDING FOLLOWING TO PARAGRAPH 22 AFTER END OF SECOND SENTENCE: "I NOTE WITH PLEASURE THAT EXCELLENT COORDINATION HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED ON BOTH SIDES BY THE WIND AND SEISMIC EFFECTS PANEL WITH OTHER BILATERAL EFFORTS THAT ARE IN EFFECT OR ARE BEING EXPANDED ON VARIOUS ASPECTS OF EARTHQUAKE RESEARCH, INCLUDING PREDICTION, ANTI-SEISMIC STRUCTURAL DESIGN AND TESTING, AND DISASTER MITIGATION. IN PARTICULAR, PLANS ARE BEING DEVELOPED UNDER THE PANEL'S AUSPICES FOR COOPERATIVE RESEARCH PROGRAMS USING LARGE-SCALE TESTING FACILITIES, WHICH WE ANTICIPATE WILL BE LAUNCED SOMETIME IN 1979. THE IMPORTANCE OF THE SEISMIC PROGRAM CANNOT BE UNDERSTATED, CONSIDERING THE HEAVY DAMAGE THAT HAS BEEN INFLICTED BY EARTHQUAKES IN OUR TWO COUNTRIES AND IN OTHER PARTS OF THE WORLD." UNLESS WE HEAR TO CONTRARY BY RETURN CABLE, WE WILL INCORPORATE THIS ADDITION INTO STATEMENT. MANSFIELD

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